

Bryant	Goodling	McCrery
Bunning	Gordon	McDade
Burr	Goss	McGovern
Burton	Graham	McHale
Buyer	Granger	McHugh
Callahan	Green	McInnis
Calvert	Greenwood	McIntosh
Camp	Gutierrez	McIntyre
Campbell	Gutknecht	McKeon
Canady	Hall (OH)	McKinney
Cannon	Hall (TX)	McNulty
Capps	Hansen	Meenan
Cardin	Harman	Meek
Carson	Hastert	Menendez
Castle	Hastings (FL)	Menendez
Chabot	Hastings (WA)	Mica
Chambliss	Hayworth	Millender-
Chenoweth	Hefley	McDonald
Christensen	Hefner	Miller (CA)
Clay	Herger	Miller (FL)
Clement	Hill	Mink
Clyburn	Hilleary	Moakley
Coble	Hilliard	Mollohan
Coburn	Hinchey	Moran (KS)
Collins	Hinojosa	Morella
Combest	Hobson	Murtha
Condit	Hoekstra	Myrick
Cook	Holden	Nadler
Cooksey	Hooley	Neal
Costello	Horn	Nethercutt
Cox	Hostettler	Neumann
Coyne	Houghton	Ney
Cramer	Hoyer	Norwood
Crane	Hulshof	Nussle
Crapo	Hunter	Oberstar
Cubin	Hutchinson	Olver
Cummings	Hyde	Ortiz
Cunningham	Inglis	Owens
Danner	Istook	Oxley
Davis (FL)	Jackson (IL)	Packard
Davis (IL)	Jackson-Lee	Pallone
Davis (VA)	(TX)	Pappas
Deal	Jefferson	Parker
DeFazio	Jenkins	Pascarell
DeGette	John	Pastor
Delahunt	Johnson (CT)	Paxon
DeLauro	Johnson (WI)	Payne
DeLay	Johnson, E. B.	Pease
Deutsch	Johnson, Sam	Peterson (MN)
Diaz-Balart	Jones	Peterson (PA)
Dickey	Kanjorski	Pickering
Dicks	Kaptur	Pitts
Dixon	Kasich	Pombo
Doggett	Kelly	Pomeroy
Dooley	Kennedy (MA)	Porter
Doolittle	Kennedy (RI)	Portman
Doyle	Kennelly	Poshard
Dreier	Kildee	Price (NC)
Duncan	Kilpatrick	Pryce (OH)
Dunn	Kim	Quinn
Edwards	Kind (WI)	Radanovich
Ehlers	King (NY)	Ramstad
Ehrlich	Kingston	Rangel
Emerson	Klecza	Redmond
Engel	Klink	Regula
English	Klug	Reyes
Ensign	Knollenberg	Riggs
Eshoo	Kolbe	Riley
Etheridge	LaFalce	Rivers
Evans	LaHood	Rodriguez
Everett	Lampson	Roemer
Ewing	Lantos	Rogan
Fattah	Largent	Rogers
Fawell	Latham	Rohrabacher
Fazio	LaTourette	Ros-Lehtinen
Filner	Lazio	Rothman
Foglietta	Leach	Roukema
Foley	Levin	Roybal-Allard
Forbes	Lewis (CA)	Royce
Ford	Lewis (GA)	Rush
Fowler	Lewis (KY)	Ryun
Fox	Linder	Sabo
Frank (MA)	Lipinski	Salmon
Franks (NJ)	LoBiondo	Sanchez
Frelinghuysen	Lofgren	Sanders
Frost	Lowe	Sandlin
Furse	Lucas	Sanford
Gallegly	Luther	Sawyer
Ganske	Maloney (CT)	Saxton
Gejdenson	Maloney (NY)	Scarborough
Gekas	Manton	Schaefer, Dan
Gephardt	Manzullo	Schaffer, Bob
Gibbons	Markey	Scott
Gilchrest	Martinez	Sensenbrenner
Gillmor	Mascara	Serrano
Gilman	Matsui	Sessions
Gonzalez	McCarthy (MO)	Shadegg
Goode	McCarthy (NY)	Shaw
Goodlatte	McCollum	Shays

Sherman	Stenholm	Vento
Shimkus	Stokes	Visclosky
Shuster	Strickland	Walsh
Sisisky	Stump	Wamp
Skaggs	Stupak	Waters
Skeen	Talent	Watkins
Skelton	Tanner	Watts (OK)
Slaughter	Tauscher	Waxman
Smith (MI)	Tauzin	Weldon (FL)
Smith (NJ)	Taylor (MS)	Weldon (PA)
Smith (OR)	Taylor (NC)	Weller
Smith (TX)	Thomas	Wexler
Smith, Adam	Thompson	Weygand
Smith, Linda	Thornberry	White
Snowbarger	Thune	Whitfield
Snyder	Thurman	Wicker
Solomon	Tiahrt	Wise
Souder	Tierney	Wolf
Spence	Torres	Woolsey
Spratt	Towns	Wynn
Stabenow	Turner	Yates
Stark	Upton	Young (AK)
Stearns	Velazquez	Young (FL)

## NAYS—17

Bonior	Kucinich	Petri
Clayton	McDermott	Rahall
Conyers	Minge	Sununu
Dellums	Moran (VA)	Traficant
Dingell	Obey	Watt (NC)
Hamilton	Paul	

## ANSWERED "PRESENT"—1

Bateman

## NOT VOTING—10

Blumenauer	Molinari	Schiff
Farr	Northup	Schumer
Flake	Pelosi	
Livingston	Pickett	

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Mr. WATT of North Carolina and Mr. MINGE changed their vote from "yea" to "nay."

Mr. DICKEY and Mr. CONDIT changed their vote from "nay" to "yea."

So (two-thirds having voted in favor thereof) the rules were suspended and the concurrent resolution was agreed to.

A motion to reconsider was laid on the table.

## PERSONAL EXPLANATION

Mrs. NORTHUP. Mr. Speaker, on rollcall No. 176, my pager malfunctioned and therefore did not alert me of the pending vote. Had I been present, I would have voted "yes."

## REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 54, PROHIBITING THE PHYSICAL DESECRATION OF THE FLAG OF THE UNITED STATES

Mr. GOSS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged report (Rept. No. 105-126) on the resolution (H. Res. 163) providing for consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 54) proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States authorizing the Congress to prohibit the physical desecration of the flag of the United States, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

## REPORT ON RESOLUTION PROVIDING FOR CONSIDERATION OF H.R. 437, NATIONAL SEA GRANT COLLEGE PROGRAM REAUTHORIZATION ACT OF 1997

Mr. GOSS, from the Committee on Rules, submitted a privileged resolution (Rept. No. 105-127) on the resolution (H. Res. 164) providing for consideration of the bill (H.R. 437) to reauthorize the National Sea Grant College Program Act, and for other purposes, which was referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

## COMMUNICATION FROM THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE

The SPEAKER pro tempore (Mr. PEASE) laid before the House the following communication from the Clerk of the House of Representatives:

U.S. HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,  
OFFICE OF THE CLERK,  
Washington, DC, June 9, 1997.

Hon. NEWT GINGRICH,  
*The Speaker, U.S. House of Representatives,*  
Washington, DC.

DEAR MR. SPEAKER: Pursuant to the permission granted in Clause 5 of Rule III of the Rules of the U.S. House of Representatives, I have the honor to transmit a sealed envelope received from the White House on June 9, 1997 at 2:34 p.m. and said to contain a message from the President whereby he returns without his approval, H.R. 1469, the "1997 Emergency Supplemental Appropriations Act."

With warm regards,

ROBIN H. CARLE,  
*Clerk, U.S. House of Representatives.*

## 1997 EMERGENCY SUPPLEMENTAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT FOR RECOVERY FROM NATURAL DISASTERS, AND FOR OVERSEAS PEACEKEEPING EFFORTS, INCLUDING THOSE IN BOSNIA—VETO MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES (H. DOC. NO. 105-96)

The SPEAKER pro tempore laid before the House the following veto message from the President of the United States:

*To the House of Representatives:*

I am returning herewith without my approval H.R. 1469, the "Supplemental Appropriations and Rescissions Act, FY 1997." The congressional majority—despite the obvious and urgent need to speed critical relief to people in the Dakotas, Minnesota, California, and 29 other States ravaged by flooding and other natural disasters—has chosen to weigh down this legislation with a series of unacceptable provisions that it knows will draw my veto. The time has come to stop playing politics with the lives of Americans in need and to send me a clean, unencumbered disaster relief bill that I can and will sign the moment it reaches my desk.

On March 19, 1997, I sent the Congress a request for emergency disaster assistance and urged the Congress to approve it promptly. Both the House and Senate Appropriations Committees acted